Classics

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The Classical Studies Department offers courses in the life, languages, cultures, and thought of the ancient Greeks and Romans.

The department offers a BA degree with a major in Classics and emphasis areas in Classical Humanities, Greek, Latin, and Classical Languages; MA degrees in Classical Languages and PhD degrees in Classical Studies. Minor options are also available.

Faculty

Professor T. A. Tarkow**, D. Trout**
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Associate Teaching Professor M. H. Barnes*
Professor Emeritus D. M. Hooley**, C. Saylor*

* Graduate Faculty Member - membership is required to teach graduate-level courses, chair master's thesis committees, and serve on doctoral examination and dissertation committees.
** Doctoral Faculty Member - membership is required to chair doctoral examination or dissertation committees. Graduate faculty membership is a prerequisite for Doctoral faculty membership.

Undergraduate

• BA in Classics (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofartsandscience/classicalstudies/ba-classics)
  • with emphasis in Classical Humanities (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofartsandscience/classicalstudies/ba-classics-emphasis-classical-humanities)
  • with emphasis in Greek (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofartsandscience/classicalstudies/ba-classics-emphasis-greek)
  • with emphasis in Latin (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofartsandscience/classicalstudies/ba-classics-emphasis-latin)
• MA in Classical Studies (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofartsandscience/classicalstudies/ma-classical-studies)
• PhD in Classical Studies (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofartsandscience/classicalstudies/phd-classical-studies)

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Career Preparation

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Facilities and Resources

The Museum of Art and Archaeology contains many items of interest to classicalists. The collection is supplemented by the department’s Walter Miller Collection. Other resources of Ellis Library, which are excellent in the major fields of Greek and Latin languages and literatures, and in ancillary fields. This collection is supplemented by the department’s Walter Miller Collection. The Museum of Art and Archaeology contains many items of interest to classicists.